WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Indications for Virginia, North and South Carolina: Warmer, rain, preceded by fair weather in Virginia, fresh to brisk easterly winds.

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9 a.m.	66°	9 p.m.	67°
12 m.	69°	Midnight	66°
3 p.m.	69°		
6 p.m.	61°	Mean temp.	69°
Sun rises	4:17	Moon sets	2:05
Sun sets	7:16	Day's length	14h. 39m.

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CITY NEWS.

HAPPENINGS IN AND ABOUT RICHMOND.

Whit-Monday's Holiday—Important Meeting of the Street Committee—The Howitzers at Providence Forge—Meeting of the City Central Democratic Committee.

Yesterday was Whit-Monday, and was generally observed throughout the city as a holiday. The Tredegar Works, Old Dominion Steel Works, new City Hall, and other busy places throughout the city shut down, giving their employes a day off, and the holiday was universally enjoyed. The street-car lines were crowded with visitors to Hollywood, the Reservoir, and other places of interest. The Electric line ran a number of extra cars, and all were filled both going and coming. The city was crowded throughout the day with visitors from the country, and, as the weather was delightful and the temperature perfect, probably no holiday was ever more enjoyed.

THE HOWITZERS' PICNIC.

A Pleasant Day at Providence Forge—A Councilman Shot—Narrow Escape and Other Incidents.

The Richmond Howitzers and the Howitzers' Association held their annual reunion yesterday at Providence Forge, on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad. Five coaches ladened with the military and their invited guests, about half of whom were ladies, left the city at 9 o'clock, and arrived at the Forge after a pleasant ride of half an hour. One of the city bands went along. The time was spent during the day in dancing, fishing, base ball, foot ball, and making merry generally. Dinner was served at 3 o'clock, and embraced everything in season.

AN ACCIDENTAL SHOT.

In the afternoon one of the Howitzers was explaining to a lady how to fire off a harmless pistol. He did not know that there was a shot in it, having fired it off several times just previously. As he pulled the trigger it exploded and the ball struck the foot of Councilman Frank Murphy, who was standing by, the ball passing between two of his toes, inflicting a rather painful flesh wound, the ball lodging in the sole of the shoe. Councilman Kaufman cut the top of the shoe off and Dr. McCarthy dressed the wound. The accident was deplored by all, and no more so than by the gentleman who handled the pistol.

NARROW ESCAPE.

Sergeant Starke of the Howitzers and a lady came near being run over by an engine. Numbers of ladies and gentlemen had, during the day, crossed a long tressel on the main line of the road, about one hundred yards long. Sergeant Starke and the lady were engaged in doing the same, when a train came thundering down the road. The engineer saw them and brakes were applied, but it was seen that they could not stop the train in time. Underneath the tressel was a tall heap of fine coal used in the boiler which runs the pump, and supplies the large water tank at this point. The lady and gentleman made a leap and landed on the coal without injury, and escaping what might have been a serious consequence.

NOTES.

More than a dozen members of the Council and other prominent officials were present on the grounds. One gentleman who had come armed with a complete set of fishing tackle fished five hours and returned, to dinner. Inquiry made of him revealed the fact that the first bite he got during the day was when he began to eat his dinner.

The excursionists returned home, reaching the city at 7 o'clock, all satisfied that, taken altogether, a most pleasant day had been spent.

HUBARD-BROWN CASE.

Evidence Finished—Argument to be Begun This Morning.

Yesterday was the sixth day of the Hubard-Brown case in the City Circuit Court, and, like its predecessors, was devoted to hearing testimony of witnesses. Major James H. Dooley and Messrs. John Laird, R. B. Chaffin, and others were on the stand, and without concluding the evidence the case was finally adjourned over until 10 o'clock this morning. The argument will be begun to-day, and the case will be given to the jury as soon as it is finished.

John Laird, R. B. Chaffin and others were on the stand and concluded the evidence. Judge Barton then gave his instructions to the jury, and they were discussed by the opposing counsel until the adjournment of the court.

The argument will begin at 10 o'clock this morning, and when concluded the case will be given to the jury.

The Ladies' Hollywood Memorial Entertainment.

On Friday next the ladies of the Hollywood Memorial Association will give a concert and afternoon tea at the Soldiers' Home for the benefit of the association. The grounds will be beautifully lighted up, a fine concert will be given, and refreshments will be provided. The admission, including refreshments, is only 50 cents, and this, added to the good cause for which the entertainment is given, should ensure a large attendance.

The City Democratic Committee.

The City Central Democratic Committee held a special meeting in the City Circuit Court-room yesterday afternoon to arrange for a thorough canvass of the different wards. The members from the various wards held conferences among themselves, and reported to the committee the names of the house-to-house canvassers agreed upon in each square of their respective wards, so as to know the exact status of the voters before the election next Thursday. The object is to make a thorough canvass of the city by that time.

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THE COMING EXPOSITION.

Tobacco Exhibit at the October Fair—List of Premiums Offered.

The following is the premium list for exhibits of leaf tobacco of the crops of 1887 and 1888:

BRIGHT TOBACCO.

Class No. 1—One package of wrappers not less than 150 pounds net—Best lemon colored, $500; second best do., $200.

Class No. 2—One package of wrappers not less than 150 pounds net—Best mahogany, $400; second best do., $150.

Class No. 3—One package of wrappers not less than 150 pounds net—Best dappled, $100.

Class No. 4—Two packages of cutters 400 pounds net each—Best fancy bright, $250; second best do., $100.

Class No. 5—Two packages smokers of 400 pounds net each—Best bright, $100.

Class No. 6—Three packages fillers of 800 pounds net each—Best lemon-colored, $200.

Class No. 7—Three packages fillers of 800 pounds net each—Best mahogany, $150.

SUN-CURED TOBACCO.

Class No. 8—One package of 150 pounds net—Best sun-cured, $150; second best do., $75.

Class No. 9—Two packages of 350 pounds net each—Best sun-cured, $100; second best do., $50.

BLACK WRAPPERS.

Class No. 10—One hogshead of 600 pounds net—Best black, $150; second best do., $75.

DARK SHIPPING LEAF.

Class No. 11—One hogshead, 1,250 pounds net—Best cigar wrapper, $200; second best do., $100.

Class No. 12—One hogshead, 1,250 pounds net—Best dark shipping leaf, $100; second best do., $50.

Class No. 13—Three hogsheads, 1,250 pounds net each—Best Italian fillers, $100.

Class No. 14—Three hogsheads, 1,500 pounds net each—Best French assorted tobacco, A, B, and C, $150.

Class No. 15—Five hogsheads, 1,350 pounds net each—Best natural prized dark lugs, $100.

STEMMING TOBACCO.

Class No. 16—One hogshead, 1,000 pounds net—Best stemming leaf, $100.

BURLEY TOBACCO.

Class No. 17—One hogshead, 1,000 pounds net—Best burley wrappers, $250

Class No. 18—Five hogsheads, 1,000 pounds net each—Best burley white fillers, $200.

Class No. 19—Five hogsheads, 1,000 pounds net each—Best burley red fillers, $200.

Class No. 20—Five hogsheads, 1,000 pounds net each—Best burley white lugs, $100.

Class No. 21—Five hogsheads, 1,000 pounds net each—Best burley red lugs, $100.

(Official.) ASHTON STARKE, President.

Tobacco of the 1877 crop must be entered on or before the 15th of September, 1888, and tobacco of the 1888 crop on or before the 20th of October, 1888. Planters are most particularly requested to compete.

Packages can be entered for competition in one class only, according to the foregoing premium list, stating number thereof. Tobacco for competition may be consigned to any commission merchant or dealer in Richmond, who in his turn shall deliver it to the committee for the purposes intended.

All tobacco will be properly weighed and inspected, as customary in this market. The grand premium sale will take place on the 25th day of October, 1888, and will attract buyers from all sections of the country.

Customary charges only will be made for selling in the grand premium sale. For all further information apply to any commission merchant or dealer in the trade of Richmond, or to any of the undersigned. PEYTON WISE, Chairman of General Exhibit of the Tobacco Trade.

A. OSTERLOH, Chairman.
JAMES N. BOYD,
T. D. NEAL, JR.,
M. T. SMITH,
L. M. GRIFFIN,
Leaf Tobacco Committee.

Police Notes.

In the Police Court yesterday the following cases were disposed of:

Ben Harris (colored), charged with assaulting and biting Nelson Harris. The case was continued till Wednesday.

Annie Minor (colored) was charged with stealing a pocketbook containing $1.50, the property of Mrs. Henry Kratz. The Commonwealth failed to make out a case.

Eddie Washington (colored) was jailed for six months for stealing chickens, the property of J. W. Gordon.

Winnie Cokes (colored) was fined $5 for assaulting and striking Ann Turner.

Blanche Booker (colored), using profane language in the street. Fined $5 and cost.

Albert Seaston (colored), assaulting and beating Julia Tyler. Fined $5 and cost.

Samuel Eanes, alias Inge, charged with threatening to kill William Ellis; also charged with carrying concealed weapons. The accused, failing to appear, the case was continued.

Colonel L. J. Allred Writes:

I am in my seventy-third year, and for fifty years of that time I have been a great sufferer from indigestion, constipation and billiousness. I have tried all the remedies advertised for these diseases and got no permanent relief. About one year ago I grew much worse, the disease assuming a more severe and dangerous form. I became very weak and lost flesh rapidly, until in November I commenced using Dr. H. Mozley's Lemon Elixir. I gained twelve pounds in three months. My strength and health, my appetite and my digestion were perfectly restored, and now I feel as young and vigorous as I ever did in my life.

L. J. ALLRED.

Jasper, Ga., March 5, 1887.

COMMITTEE ON STREETS

IMPORTANT MEETING HELD LAST NIGHT.

The Eighth-Street Tunnel Considered. Bond Offered but Declined—A New Bond to be Prepared To-Day—Charter for Another Electric Railway Granted.

The Committee on Streets met at 8 o'clock last night in the City Engineer's office. Present, Messrs. Crenshaw (chairman), Starke, Hill, Cutchins, Bodeker, Paraiur, Robinson, Powers, and Griffin.

The question of the Richmond & Chesapeake Railway Company's application to run a tunnel under Eighth street from the northern limit of the city, coming out on Cary and Eighth streets, came up.

The plans and specifications adopted when the permission to build this tunnel two years ago was granted were readopted, they being satisfactory to the City Engineer.

City Attorney Meredith read the bond drawn up by him and signed by the Richmond & Chesapeake Railroad, Charles E. Belvin president, and by Charles E. Belvin individually as security for the sum of $100,000 to secure property-owners who may be damaged by the construction of the tunnel.

Mr. Starke said he could not accept the bond unless further enlightened.

Mr. Atkinson said Mr. Belvin's real estate in Richmond was valued at more than $100,000.

Mr. Cutchins said he could not vote for any bond with only one name on it, no matter whom he may be.

The committee refused to accept the bond. Ayes, 4; noes, 5.

The gentlemen who voted against accepting the bond stated they were not opposed to the tunnel, but were opposed to the bond. They understood it would have been signed by several names.

A NEW BOND TO BE REPORTED.

The bond was then referred to the subcommittee with instructions to entertain a new bond and report the same to the full committee at a called meeting to be held to-night at 6:30.

NEW ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

The Manchester Street Railway and Improvement Company presented an application to run a street railway drawn by electricity or by horses from Mayo's bridge up Fourteenth to Marshall and out Marshall street to Bowe street, thence to Leigh and out Leigh to the corporation line, and on Leigh street from Bowe to the corporation line, subject to the rights of the Richmond City Street Railway Company. They promised to begin work as soon as the franchise was granted, and have the road in operation by the exposition.

Mr. Starke moved to require a forfeit of $2,500.

Mr. Nash said it was wrong to impose this restriction upon his road when it had never been required of others. He spoke with some feeling.

Mr. Starke said a franchise had been granted the company, but no work ever attempted.

Mr. Cutchins opposed the requirement, and Mr. Starke added that he was not opposed to the road, but wanted the security.

The requirement was lost. Ayes, 3; noes, 6.

It was decided to tax the road the same as other roads until it ran to Manchester, then the tax was to be two thirds of one per cent. of the gross receipts.

The question was referred to the City Attorney with instructions to draft the ordinance.

Grounds and Buildings Committee.

The Committee on Grounds and Buildings met last night in the City Engineers' office. Present, Chairman Kendler, Pizzini, and Mann.

Mr. Eddins, janitor of the Armory, was granted one weeks' leave of absence.

The City Engineer was authorized to expend the sum of $170 in repairs on Seabrook's warehouse.

Mr. Pizzini offered a resolution providing that the use of the Armory be granted the Ladies' Bazaar of Sacred Heart church from May 22d to June 2d, the ladies to pay for gas and heating and make their own arrangement with the janitor, provided that the consent of the officers of the First Virginia Regiment be first obtained. Adopted.

The hod carriers employed on the new City Hall made application for increase of pay 15 cents a day. The committee rejected the application. Adjourned.

To Taxpayers.

ALL LICENSE TAXES DUE THE STATE OF VIRGINIA CAN BE PAID IN COUPONS AT A LARGE SAVING TO THE TAXPAYER.

By the production of the Bonds from which the Coupons are detached the laws of the State provide for the acceptance of the Coupons. Taxpayers thereby obtain a receipt and have no further trouble.

I have a large number of Bonds bearing past-due Coupons, with which taxpayers can pay their license or overdue property taxes.

The counsel of the Committee of Virginia Bondholders, Mr. William L. Royall, will produce the Bonds in court for my clients only.

JAMES P. COOPER,
911 Main street, Richmond, Va.

THE BLUE RIDGE SPRINGS.

The Hotel Property Burned.

LYNCHBURG, VA., May 20.—The Blue Ridge Springs Hotel, one of Virginia's most popular watering places, was burned to the ground at 2 o'clock this morning; loss, about $80,000; insured for $20,000. The Roanoke Fire Company was called, but arrived too late for service. Phil. F. Brown is the proprietor of the springs. Most of the cottages were saved.

Yesterday evening, about 6 o'clock, the horses attached to the beer wagon of C. W. Burr took fright on Fifteenth street near Main, and ran into the window of the store under the St. Charles Hotel, next to the bar room of Crawford & Lally. The window was demolished, and the shaft of the wagon broken.

LOCAL NOTES.

A number of Baptist divines from New England will reach this city to-day, and will be shown around by their Richmond brethren. Quarters for the party have been engaged at Ford's Hotel.

Peter B. Shorts succeeds his father, Old Uncle Ned, as janitor of the City Circuit Court and Supreme Court of Appeals.

Among the marriage licenses granted in Washington yesterday was one to John B. Noglesman and Teresa B. Mason of Richmond.

In the Hustings Court yesterday several unimportant cases were disposed of. The most important one set for trial, that of W. H. Godsey, charged with the murder of David Glass, was continued for the term.

Mr. E. C. Walton of the Stanford (Ky.) *Interior Journal* is in the city on a visit to his sister at No. 1013 East Marshall street. Mr. Walton is an old Virginian and a stalwart Democrat.

Yesterday morning about half-past 10 o'clock the city ambulance was called to 2014 Main street to a man who had dropped in the street while loading a wagon with furniture. Upon reaching the place, Dr. Pierrepont, finding the man dead, turned the body over to Coroner Taylor. Charles Henry Riddick was the name of the deceased and had been a sufferer from heart disease for several years. No inquest was held.

The Committee on Streets last night decided to send the city carts and hands to Hollywood to renovate and place in good order the soldiers' section preparatory to Memorial day, May 31st. This was done at the request of the Ladies' Hollywood Memorial Association.

A curiosity in the shape of a double egg joined together like the Siamese Twins was shown the reporter last night at the store of Mr. A. L. Jacob, No. 707 East Broad street. A peculiar feature of this freak of nature was that the white formed one complete egg in shape and the yellow the other. They were both nearly as large as an ordinary egg.

OREGON HILL PARK.

A Desirable Improvement Contemplated.

It is expected that there will be held a meeting this week of the City Finance Committee, to consider the appropriation of $3,500 for the purchase of, and beautifying, the proposed new park on Oregon Hill. This land begins at Hollywood on the Canal bank, and runs parallel with it eastwardly to Church street. It embraces a large square adjoining Hollywood, the strip along the slope of the hill overlooking the river and a large square at Church street. Terraced and beautified with shade trees, it will be as pretty a park as any in the city, and one that the people in this populous section want. People entering the city over the Petersburg bridge and by the Allegheny road will be struck with the beauty of the slope, which, while proving an ornamentation to the section, will enhance the value of all the property in the neighborhood.

THE BIG FLOOD.

One that Will Long be Remembered—The Waters Slowly Abating.

QUINCY, ILL., May 21.—The mighty flood in the Mississippi, which will be remembered as without a precedent in the destruction and suffering created, is slowly abating, and it is thought that the worst of the high water is passed. But the worst that could happen has already occurred, hundreds of families have been rendered homeless, and thousands of acres of growing crops ruined, to say nothing of the loss entailed by demolished dwellings, wrecked fences, and washouts.

From the northern end of Adams county to the southern end of Pike county the land on the Illinois side of the river was protected by a system of levees, the region embracing 250,000 acres, the soil being the richest in the State. All the region is now one vast lake from six to ten feet in depth. Along the bluffs on the eastern edge of the submerged district hundreds of families are camped, living in tents, huts, and in the open air. Before the flood most of these people were well-to-do, prosperous farmers, but now they have little or nothing.

Much sickness prevails among the unfortunates, owing to want and exposure, but prompt measures have been taken to alleviate suffering. Relief committees from Quincy went above and below that city yesterday with provisions, clothing and medicines, and most of the cases of immediate want have been cared for, but the victims will need assistance for several weeks to come. Several thousand dollars have been raised in this city for the benefit of the victims and more will be collected.

Among the offers of assistance from outside parties is one from Governor Alger of Detroit, Mich., requesting the committee to call on him for $500. While a large majority of the inhabitants fled to the higher lands, a few were not granted time to get away or misjudged the character of the breaks in the levee and determined to stay with their homes, and are now living in the garrets or on the roofs. Every roof has been turned into a place of refuge for live stock, poultry, etc., but many houses have been lifted from their foundations and carried away with the irresistible current or demolished entirely.

The towns of Fall Creek, Seehorn, and Hulls are but mere islands, and hundreds of refugees are huddled together in limited space. Four or five families are living in each of the rooms in the few houses above the water, and are suffering intensely.

The damage to railroad property is enormous, and it will be three weeks after the water subsides before trains can be running on time. This city is cut off from railroad communication north, west, and south.

Owing to the great confusion it is impossible to obtain detailed losses, but the aggregate will reach fully $3,000,000 from crops alone. The damage to the levees, houses, and railroads will approximate $600,000.

BY TELEGRAPH.

NEWS OF INTEREST AT HOME AND ABROAD.

Proceedings in Both Houses of Congress Yesterday—Vote on the Tariff Bill Postponed—The Mighty Mississippi Quieting Down—Foreign and Domestic News.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—In the Senate to-day Mr. Morrill asked unanimous consent to consider the bill reported from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, appropriating $17,500 for the fire proofing of the west end of the Smithsonian building. Unanimous consent was granted and the bill was passed.

Favorable reports were made on the bills authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri river, near Nebraska City, and appropriating $100,000 for the erection of a customhouse and postoffice at Newport News, Va.

Mr. Riddleberger moved to reconsider the vote by which his resolution to consider the fisheries treaty in open session was defeated last Monday.

The chair ruled that the motion was out of order as more than two legislative days had elapsed. Mr. Riddleberger said that twice had the resolution been considered in his absence, and he felt justified in asking unanimous consent to enter his motion to reconsider, giving notice he would not take the matter up to-day. Unanimous consent was granted.

Mr. Blair introduced a bill regulating Sabbath observance. It prohibits any corporation or person from performing any duty on that day, except works of necessity, when such labor disturbs others. It shall not be lawful for any person or corporation to receive pay for services rendered on that day. No mails shall be collected or transported in times of peace, except such letters as shall concern the life, health or peace of some one, the facts of which shall be set forth on the envelope, and the Postmaster-General shall supply special deliveries for the same.

The calendar was then taken up and several small private bills passed.

THE HOUSE.

After reading of the journal to-day the Speaker laid before the House a number of pension vetoes. Mr. Marrow asked that their reading be dispensed with, but Mr. Adams objected. Also a veto of the House joint resolution authorizing the use and improvement of Castle Island, in Boston harbor.

The House concurred in the Senate amendments to the House bill authorizing United States Marshals to arrest fugitives from justice in the Indian Territory.

The Senate amendments to the pension appropriation bill were non-concurred in, and a conference will be appointed. The Senate amendments increase the appropriation from $79,000,000 to $80,400,000.

It took an hour and five minutes to dispose of the business that had accumulated on the Speaker's table for the past three days.

The Speaker then announced the appointment of four conference committees to consider certain House bills.

The bill creating a Department of Agriculture was then taken up.

The bill was passed by a vote of 233 to 13, and on motion of Mr. Belmont the diplomatic appropriation bill was taken up.

HEAVY SENTENCE ON A SWINDLER.

He Must Refund Money Unlawfully Obtained or Go to Jail for 53 Years.

CHICAGO, May 21.—A dispatch from San Francisco says: A heavy sentence has been imposed on Simon Hamburg for swindling a man out of $10,000. Last November Hamburg and an accomplice sold to a man named Parker, an Oregon farmer, certain real estate in this city to which they had no title. Parker did not examine the title, but gave them $3,000 in cash and his farm in Oregon, worth $6,500. When recently the title to the city property was found to be defective, Hamburg entered a plea that he sold it under a belief that the title was perfect, but he would not refund the money. Later Hamburg's accomplice confessed that Hamburg had deliberately planned to rob Parker of his money.

The jury found Hamburg guilty, and the court in sentencing the prisoner regretted that the crime of which he was guilty was only a misdemeanor in California. The judge then sentenced him to imprisonment in the county jail for one year, and that he pay a fine equal to double the amount of money he fraudulently obtained from Parker, namely, a fine of $19,000, and that in default of payment of the fine he be further imprisoned at the rate of one day for each dollar. If the fine is not paid Hamburg will therefore have to serve altogether fifty three years and twenty days.

Sale United States Bonds.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Acting Secretary Thompson to-day received offers for sale of bonds to Government as follows: Four per cents, coupons, $100 at 127; four per cents, registered, $4,000 at 127¼; $50,000 at 127⅞; $5,000 at 128⅛; $5,000 at 127¼; $50,000 at 128—total, $114,000. Four and a half per cents, registered, $15,000 at 108⅛, $2,000 at 108; $500 at 108; $50,000 at 108⅛—total, $67,500. Total offerings, $181,600.

Russia's Military Preparations.

LONDON, May 21.—The colossal military preparations in progress in Russia are still the theme of general conversation and speculation in most of the European capitals. Austria has at last awakened to the obvious intention of her big neighbor to reach the harvest in Balkans, seeds which her agents planted some time ago and have since assiduously cultivated, and is hurrying troops forward to the Galician frontier with feverish haste, and the early breaking out of hostilities on the borders would surprise no one acquainted with the situation, and the evident anxiety of the Russian troops to exchange camp, garrison, and barrack duty for active service.

A CHICAGO SENSATION.

Almost a First-Class Tragedy.

CHICAGO, May 21.—What came near being a first-class tragedy was enacted this morning near the corner of Fulton and Ann streets. About 8:40 o'clock, as Mr. P. J. Bolander, who says he is a real estate agent, was passing in front of a saloon in the locality mentioned, a slight-looking man, dressed in a suit of plain black clothes and wearing a heavy black moustache, was leaning over a low-sized fence, apparently lost in thought. Suddenly, as Mr. Bolander passed by, the strange man wheeled around and, levelling a revolver at the real estate agent, fired point blank at him, at the same time exclaiming: "—— —— you, I have you now." Mr. Bolander staggered back. The bullet grazed but did not hit him. He sprang upon his assailant and grappled with him. The would-be murderer made frantic efforts to escape or draw another bead on Bolander, but the latter was too strong for him.

Mr. Bolander succeeded in holding his man until two officers arrived and brought both parties to the Desplaines-street station. On arriving at the station Mr. Bolander informed Captain Lewis that his assailant was not what he appeared to be, but was a woman in disguise. It turned out to be true. The moustache was a false one. The woman was of medium height, had a very sallow complexion, and was ghastly looking. Mr. Bolander identified her as being Tillie Richmond, with whom he claims to have lived for some time. Both parties claim to be married.

HOW PROTECTION WORKS.

Good for the Master—Bad for the Man.

NEW YORK, May 21.—The *World's* Pittsburg special says the iron manufacturers in that vicinity who work under the amalgamated scale will ask for a reduction in the wages now paid. A new scale is being prepared for presentation to the Amalgamated Association. The reasons given for the proposed reduction are the present low prices of iron and the probability of tariff reduction caused by the Mills bill. It is estimated that the reduction in wages will amount to about 75 cents per ton on the price of baling iron, and in the other departments it will be made upon this basis. The announcement is a surprise to the men, as they had supposed the present wages would continue in force during the balance of the year. The majority of the men are Knights of Labor. The Amalgamated Association has one lodge organized in the mills, and the men will meet to consider the matter.

Southern Presbyterians.

BALTIMORE, May 21.—The General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church reassembled this morning and was largely attended by those who took an interest in the case of Rev. Dr. Woodrow of South Carolina, which affects his clerical standing because of his view on evolution.

A special committee, to which was referred the subject, reported in favor of granting candidates for the ministry $125, and to make collections in the churches for supplemental appropriation on the 1st of April. Adopted.

A resolution was offered in relation to the appointment of a committee on temperance ordered on Saturday, directing a report to be made on the subject to the next General Assembly on that question, when Rev. Mr. Brooks moved to so amend as to have reference to liquor alone.

The amendment was accepted and the resolution adopted.

The case of Rev. Dr. James Woodrow, complaining of the action of the Synod of Georgia in condemning his utterances on evolution, was then taken up and the record of the case was read.

SHORT TELEGRAMS.

LOUISVILLE, KY., May 21.—At Hazard, Perry county, B. F. French and six others have been indicted for killing J. C. Eversole six weeks ago. Eversole was shot from ambush. His murder was the result of a feud between himself and French of four years' standing, during which at one time the factions occupied opposite ends of the town a hundred strong and heavily armed. It was settled at that time by a compromise, but soon broke out again.

PHILADELPHIA, May 21.—Colonel A. Wilson Norris, Auditor-General of Pennsylvania, who has been ill with nervous prostration for several weeks past, died at his residence in this city shortly after 7 o'clock this morning.

"Doctor,

I have been giving my children Dr. DAVID'S COUGH SYRUP, and it acts so well that if you do not object I will always give it in coughs, colds, and bronchial and lung troubles."

"Object! Why, certainly not, knowing as I do the ingredients of the excelent Cough Syrup. I always recommend it to my patients and find it cures every time, but see that you get the genuine Dr. David's Cough Syrup.

Silk Ribbons!

Those of our lady readers who would like to have an elegant, large package of extra fine, Assorted Ribbons (by mail), in different widths and all the latest fashionable shades; adapted for Bonnet Strings, Neckwear, Scarfs, Trimming for Hats and Dresses, Bows, Fancy Work, etc., can get an astonishing big bargain, owing to the recent failure of a large wholesale Ribbon Manufacturing Co., by sending only 25 cents (stamps), to the address we give below.

As a *special offer*, this house will give *double* the amount of any other firm in America if you will send the name and P. O. address of ten *newly* married ladies when ordering and mention the name of this paper. No pieces less than one yard in length. Satisfaction is guaranteed, or money cheerfully refunded. Three packages for 60 cents. Address

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Cures indigestion, Constipation, headache, biliousness, malaria, kidney disease, fever, chills, loss of appetite, debility and nervous prostration by regulating Liver, Stomach, Bowels, Kidney, and Blood.

It cures all other diseases caused by a torpid or diseased liver. It is an established fact that lemons, when combined properly with other liver tonics, produce the most desirable results upon the stomach, liver, bowels, kidneys, and blood.

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Prepared only by H. Mozley, M. D., Atlanta, Ga.

Pure Ice Cream.

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